

The View from the Top

The shiny black iron balcony, called the gallery deck, sits just below the giant flashing lantern, 150-feet and 219 steps above the ground. From this deck, keepers would watch the weather, the tides moving in and out, and ships sailing the Atlantic passing north and south. The beautiful view from the top of the lighthouse looks very much the same today as it did 141 years ago in 1872.